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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, ETRD, NL

SUBJECT: DOMESTIC LEGISLATION AGAINST ARAB BOYCOTT OF
ISRAEL

REF: STATE 073840

1. ACCORDING TO MINECON OFFICIAL, NETHERLANDS HAS NO LAWS
OR REGULATIONS OF TYPE DESCRIBED REFTEL.

2. SAME SOURCE, HOWEVER, STATED THAT ECON MINISTER, BY
VIRTUE OF POWERS VESTED IN HIM TO DETERMINE NATURE OF DATA
WHICH MAY BE PROVIDED ON CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN, HAS RULED
THAT NO CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN MAY BE ISSUED WHICH RESPOND
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TO REQUESTS FOR CERTIFICATION THAT MANUFACTURER IS NOT

JEWISH, RPT JEWISH. FYI- SOURCE STATED THAT MINISTER'S RULING HAD BEEN IN RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR SUCH CERTIFICATION RECEIVED FROM SEVERAL ARAB COUNTRIES BY NUMBER OF DUTCH SUPPLIERS. END FYI.

3. WE REQUESTED CITATION ON ABOVE RULING, WHICH MINECON OFFICIAL SAID HE WOULD ENDEAVOR TO PROVIDE. HOWEVER, HE WAS NOT CERTAIN THAT MINISTER'S RULING HAS BEEN ISSUED IN WRITING AND, IF IT HAS, WHETHER IT IS IN PUBLIC DOMAIN. NEVERTHELESS, ALL CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE, WHICH ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES OF ORIGIN, ARE AWARE OF THE ARE IMPLEMENTING THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY.

4. INSOFAR AS ARAB ECONOMIC BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL IS CONCERNED, MINECON OFFICIAL STATED THAT GON POLICY IS TO AVOID INVOLVEMENT IN THE ISSUE AND TO LEAVE IT TO INDIVIDUAL FIRMS TO DECIDE FOR THEMSELVES WHETHER OR NOT HAVE COMMERCIAL RELATIONS WITH ISRAEL.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: UNTIL WE RECEIVE INDICATION THAT POLICY DESCRIBED PARAS 2 AND 3 ABOVE IS IN PUBLIC DOMAIN, WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT REQUESTING CONGRESSIONAL RECIPIENTS OF INFO TO TREAT IT IN CONFIDENCE.
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